

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box

PTO/SB/21 (12-97)

Appr or use through 9/30/00. OMB 0651-0031

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. Department of Commerce

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.



TRANSMITTAL FORM

(To be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Serial Number	09/961,099	
	File Date	September 21, 2001
	First Named Inventor	Dr. Sven JACOBSEN
	Group Art Unit	To Be Assigned
	Examiner Name	To Be Assigned
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	Attorney Docket Number	K&W 353-WCG

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached
<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Response
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Routing Slip(PTO/SB/69) and Accompanying Petition
<input type="checkbox"/> To convert a Provisional Application
<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Statement
<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund | <input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
- Form PTO-1449, citing and attaching two (2) references |
|--|--|--|

Remarks:

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	William C. Gerstenzang Norms, McLaughlin & Marcus, P.A.
Signature	<i>William C. Gerstenzang</i> Reg. No. 27,552
Date	November 26, 2001

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail in an envelope addressed to : U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202 on this date: November 26, 2001.

Typed or printed name	William C. Gerstenzang
Signature	<i>William C. Gerstenzang</i> Date November 26, 2001

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.



Attorney Docket No.: K&W 353-WCG
: WW 5594US/so

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Dr. Sven JACOBSEN et al.
For : FILM LAMINATES AS HIGH BARRIER FILMS AND THEIR
USE IN VACUUM INSULATION PANELS
Serial No. : 09/961,099
Filed : September 21, 2001
Art Unit : To Be Assigned
Examiner : To Be Assigned

November 26, 2001

Hon. Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.56 and § 1.97(b), Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

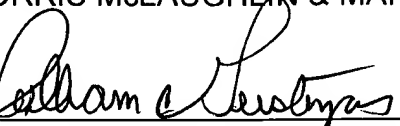
These references are relevant because they are cited in Applicants' specification.

Favorable action is respectfully solicited.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

NORRIS McLAUGHLIN & MARCUS, P.A.

By 

William C. Gerstenzang
Reg. No. 27,552

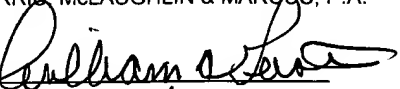
WCG:gb

Enc.: Form PTO-1449
References - 2

220 East 42nd Street - 30th Floor
New York, New York 10017
(212) 808-0700

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Services as Express Mail in an envelope addressed to U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202 on November 26, 2001.

NORRIS, McLAUGHLIN & MARCUS, P.A.

By 

Date 11/26/01